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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Please amend the hereinabove reference and accompanying patent application as follows before calculation of filing fees and examination.

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IN THE TITLE

Please delete the present title and insert thereafter:

-- RETINOID AGENT CAPSULE SYSTEM --